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Title: RETRACTABLE PHOTOGRAPHING LENS

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APPLICATION ELEMENTS

ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

1. Fee Transmittal Form
(Submit an original, and a duplicate for fee processing)2. Applicant claims small entity status.
See 37 CFR 1.27.a. ☐ Small Entity
Statement(s)3. ☒ Specification [Total Pages 339]
(preferred arrangement set forth below)
- Descriptive title of the Invention
- Cross References to Related Applications
- Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
- Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program
listing appendix
- Background of the Invention
- Brief Summary of the Invention
- Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
- Detailed Description
- Claim(s)
- Abstract of the Disclosure4. ☒ Drawing(s) (35 USC 113) [Total Sheets 144]5. ☒ Oath or Declaration [Total Pages 3]a. ☒ Newly executed (original or copy) ☐ Unexecutedb. ☐ Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d))
(for continuation/divisional with Box 20 completed)

[Note Box 6 below]

i. ☐ DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s)
named in the prior application, see 37 CFR
1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).6. ☐ Incorporation By Reference (useable if Box 5b is checked)
The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a
copy of the oath or declaration is supplied under Box 5b, is
considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying
application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.7. ☐ Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.768. ☐ CD-Rom or CD-R in duplicate, large table or Computer
Program (Appendix)9. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission
(if applicable, all necessary)a. ☐ Computer Readable Form (CRF)

b. Specification Sequence Listing on:

i. ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); orii. ☐ paperc. ☐ Statements verifying identity of above copies10. ☒ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))11. ☐ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement ☐ Power of Attorney
(when there is an assignee)12. ☐ English Translation Document (if applicable)13. ☐ Information Disclosure ☐ Copies of IDS Citations
Statement (IDS)/PTO-144914. ☐ Preliminary Amendment15. ☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)
(Should be specifically itemized)16. ☒ Figure of Drawing to be published: 917. ☒ Foreign priority claimeda. ☒ Claim of Priorityb. ☒ Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)18. ☒ Assignee: PENTAX Corporation, of Tokyo, Japan19. ☐ Other: _____

20. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box and supply the requisite information:

☐ Continuation ☐ Divisional ☐ Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior Application No. _____/_____, filed _____.
Prior application information: Examiner: _____ Group Art Unit: _____21. ☐ Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:

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FEE TRANSMITTAL

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| Application Number | Not Yet Assigned |
| Filing Date | Concurrently Herewith |
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| Group Art Unit | Unassigned |
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- ☐ Charge the Issue Fee Set in 37 CFR 1.18 at the Mailing of the Notice of Allowance, 37 CFR 1.311(b)
- ☐ Applicant Claims Small Entity Status See 37 CFR 1.27.

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FEE CALCULATION (fees effective 01/01/03)

1. FILING FEE

| Large Fee Code | Entity Fee (\$) | Small Fee Code | Entity Fee (\$) | Fee Description | Fee Paid |
|----------------|-----------------|----------------|-----------------|------------------------|---------------|
| 1001 | 750 | 2001 | 375 | Utility filing fee | <u>750.00</u> |
| 1002 | 330 | 2002 | 165 | Design filing fee | |
| 1003 | 520 | 2003 | 260 | Plant filing fee | |
| 1004 | 750 | 2004 | 375 | Reissue filing fee | |
| 1005 | 160 | 2005 | 80 | Provisional filing fee | |

SUBTOTAL (1) (\$) 750.00

2. CLAIMS

| | | | Extra | Fee from below | | Fee Paid |
|---------------------------|-----------|-------------|------------|----------------|-----------|---------------|
| Total Claims | <u>11</u> | <u>-20=</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>x</u> | <u>18</u> | <u>= 0.00</u> |
| Independent Claims | <u>1</u> | <u>-3=</u> | <u>0</u> | <u>x</u> | <u>84</u> | <u>= 0.00</u> |
| Multiple Dependent Claims | <u>0</u> | <u>x</u> | <u>280</u> | <u>=</u> | | <u>0.00</u> |

| Large Fee Code | Entity Fee (\$) | Small Fee Code | Entity Fee (\$) | Fee Description |
|----------------|-----------------|----------------|-----------------|---|
| 1202 | 18 | 2202 | 9 | Claims in excess of 20 |
| 1201 | 84 | 2201 | 42 | Independent claims in excess of 3 |
| 1203 | 280 | 2203 | 140 | Multiple dependent claim |
| 1204 | 84 | 2204 | 42 | Reissue independent claims over original patent |
| 1205 | 18 | 2205 | 9 | Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent |

SUBTOTAL (2) (\$) 0.00

FEE CALCULATION (continued)

3. ADDITIONAL FEES

| Large Fee Code | Entity Fee (\$) | Small Fee Code | Entity Fee (\$) | Fee Description | Fee Paid |
|----------------|-----------------|----------------|-----------------|--|--------------|
| 1051 | 130 | 2051 | 65 | Surcharge - late filing fee or oath | |
| 1052 | 50 | 2052 | 25 | Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet. | |
| 1053 | 130 | 1053 | 130 | Non-English specification | |
| 1812 | 2,520 | 1812 | 2,520 | For filing a request for reexamination | |
| 1804 | 920* | 1804 | 920* | Requesting publication of SIR | |
| | | | | Prior to Examiner action | |
| 1805 | 1,840* | 1805 | 1,840* | Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action | |
| 1251 | 110 | 2251 | 55 | Extension for response within 1st month | |
| 1252 | 410 | 2252 | 205 | Extension for response within 2nd month | |
| 1253 | 930 | 2253 | 465 | Extension for response within 3rd month | |
| 1254 | 1,450 | 2254 | 725 | Extension for response within 4th month | |
| 1255 | 1,970 | 2255 | 985 | Extension for response within 5th month | |
| 1401 | 320 | 2401 | 160 | Notice of Appeal | |
| 1402 | 320 | 2402 | 160 | Filing a brief in support of an appeal | |
| 1403 | 280 | 2403 | 140 | Request for oral hearing | |
| 1451 | 1,510 | 1451 | 1,510 | Petition to institute a public use proceeding | |
| 1452 | 110 | 2452 | 55 | Petition to revive unavoidably abandoned application | |
| 1453 | 1,300 | 2453 | 650 | Petition to revive unintentionally abandoned application | |
| 1501 | 1,300 | 2501 | 650 | Utility issue fee (or reissue) | |
| 1502 | 470 | 2502 | 235 | Design issue fee | |
| 1503 | 630 | 2503 | 315 | Plant issue fee | |
| 1460 | 130 | 1460 | 130 | Petitions to the Commissioner | |
| 1807 | 50 | 1807 | 50 | Petitions related to provisional applications | |
| 1806 | 180 | 1806 | 180 | Submission of IDS | |
| 8021 | 40 | 8021 | 40 | Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties) | <u>40.00</u> |
| 1809 | 750 | 2809 | 375 | Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a)) | |
| 1810 | 750 | 2810 | 375 | For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b)) | |
| 1801 | 750 | 2801 | 375 | Request for Continued Examination (RCE) | |
| 1802 | 900 | 1802 | 900 | Request for expedited examination of a design application | |

Other fee (specify) _____

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